# Unveiling the Circumstellar Envelope and Disk: A Sub-Arcsecond Survey of Circumstellar Structures

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### ABSTRACT

We present the results of a  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum interferometric survey of 24 young stellar objects in 11 fields. The target objects range from deeply embedded Class 0 sources to optical T Tauri sources. This is the first sub-arcsecond survey of the  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm dust continuum emission from young, embedded stellar systems. These multi-array observations, utilizing the high dynamic u,v range of the BIMA array, fully sample spatial scales ranging from 0".4 to 60", allowing the first consistent comparison of dust emission structures in a variety of systems. The images show a diversity of structure and complexity. The optically visible T Tauri stars (DG Tauri, HL Tauri, GG Tauri, and GM Aurigae) have continuum emission dominated by compact  $(\leq 1'')$  circumstellar disks. In the cases of HL Tauri and DG Tauri, the disks are resolved. The more embedded near-infrared sources (SVS13 and L1551 IRS5) have continuum emission that is extended and compact. The embedded sources (L1448 IRS3, NGC1333 IRAS2, NGC1333 IRAS4, VLA 1623, and IRAS 16293-2422) have continuum emission dominated by the extended envelope, typically  $\geq 85\%$  of the emission at  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm. In fact, in many of the deeply embedded systems it is difficult to uniquely isolate the disk emission component from the envelope extending inward to AU size scales. Simple estimates of the circumstellar mass in the optical/infrared and embedded systems range from 0.01-0.08  $M_{\odot}$  and 0.04-2.88  $M_{\odot}$ , respectively. All of the target embedded objects are in multiple systems with separations on scales of  $\sim 30''$  or less. Based on the system separation, we place the objects into three categories: separate envelope (separation  $\geq$  6500 AU), common envelope (separation 150-3000 AU), and common disk (separation  $\leq$  100 AU). These three groups can be linked with fragmentation events during the star formation process: separate envelopes from prompt initial fragmentation and the separate collapse of a loosely condensed

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cloud, common envelopes from fragmentation of a moderately centrally condensed spherical system, and common disk from fragmentation of a high angular momentum circumstellar disk.

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#### 1. Introduction

Young stellar systems exhibit excess infrared and millimeter emission that arises primarily from circumstellar dust in two basic evolutionary structures: envelopes and disks. Current observations and theories of star formation (e.g. Larson 1969; Penston 1969; Shu 1977; Cassen & Moosman 1981; Lada & Wilking 1984; Adams, Lada, & Shu 1987; Shu et al. 1993; André, Ward-Thompson, & Barsony 1993) outline an evolutionary sequence that begins with a density enhancement which quasi-statically contracts to form a centrally concentrated core. The core then gravitationally collapses forming an infall region which feeds a central protostar and a surrounding disk supported by centrifugal forces. Initially, the envelope (radii of 1000s of AU) contains most of the mass, but as the system evolves, the disk and protostar grow, and the disk becomes a significant mass reservoir. In time, the prenatal envelope is depleted of material and progressively blown away by the powerful stellar outflow, revealing the young star and disk (radii of  $\sim 100 \text{ AU}$ ) system. Detailed modeling of young stellar objects has shown that the infrared through millimeter wavelength spectral energy distribution (SED) can be reproduced by thermal dust emission from a combination of a large-scale envelope, spatially thin disk, and central star (Adams, Lada, & Shu 1987; Kenyon & Hartmann 1987; Bertout, Basri, & Bouvier 1988; Calvet, Hartmann, & Whitney 1994) or, in some cases, by just a disk and central star (Beckwith et al. 1990; Osterloh & Beckwith 1995; Dutrey et al. 1996).

Surveys of main-sequence stellar systems find that most stars are in binary or multiple systems (Duquennoy & Mayor 1991) with the separation distribution ranging from a few  $R_{\odot}$  to  $10^4$  AU and the probability distribution peaking around 30 AU. Recent surveys of the nearby star-forming regions of Taurus and Ophiuchus find that the occurrence of binaries in the young visible systems is about twice as common as among main-sequence stars (Simon et al. 1992; Ghez, Neugebauer, &, Matthews 1993; Leinert et al. 1993; Reipurth & Zinnecker 1993; Ghez, White, & Simon 1997). How is the above star formation process altered to form binary systems, and how does the younger, deeply embedded systems binary occurrence compare to the young visible systems?

In this paper, we present a  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum survey of 24 nearby Young Stellar Objects that represent a sample of young stellar systems at various stages of evolution. The survey highlights the large dynamic range of u,v spacings available with the Berkeley-Illinois-Maryland

Association (BIMA) millimeter array— covering both the largest and smallest u,v spacings currently available at  $\lambda=2.7$  mm. With a combination of low and high resolutions, we are able to map the envelopes of the embedded sources and resolve-out the large-scale structure in order to peer inside the envelopes and image the central regions. With the highest angular resolution to date at this wavelength, we are able to image circumstellar disks (e.g. Mundy et al. 1996) and search for close binaries (e.g. Looney, Mundy, & Welch 1997). The purpose of this paper is to present our images with the discussion focusing on differences and similarities between the various evolutionary stages and several broad trends in the data. In additional papers, we will discuss individual sources in detail and extensively model the emission structures of these sources as arising from extended envelopes, circumstellar disks, and circumbinary disks.

### 2. Sample, Observations, and Mapping

### 2.1. Sample

The goal of the survey was to image a range of young stellar systems at sub-arcsecond resolution. We concentrated on bright, nearby sources which were most likely to produce high dynamic range images. The criteria for selecting the sample were: (1) for the best sensitivity to solar-system-sized spatial scales, we focused on the closest sources ( $\leq 350$  pc); (2) to insure sufficient surface brightness at sub-arcsecond resolution, we chose among the brightest sources in the nearby star forming regions; (3) to survey a number of evolutionary stages, our sample included the youngest, most deeply embedded sources (Class 0), as well as optical T Tauri stars (Class I/II); (4) finally, to achieve the best map fidelity, we required that the sources have both a bright phase reference calibrator and a weaker point source response calibrator nearby on the sky. This combination of criteria introduces three strong biases in our sample: (a) we favor bright millimeter sources which should be systems with more circumstellar material than average (e.g. Beckwith et al. 1990), (b) most of our sources are either Class 0 or Class II (this is mostly due to the bias above), and (c) as a result of our distance limit, our sources are drawn from just three local clouds— Taurus, Ophiuchus, and Perseus. Table 1 lists the sources, adopted distances. whether they are optically visible (in this category we also include objects which are visible in the near-infrared) or embedded, adopted SED Class, main calibrator, secondary calibrator, and distance reference. The distance to the Perseus objects has been in dispute lately, 350 pc (Herbig & Jones 1983) and more recently 220 pc (Cernis 1990). We adopt the previous value, allowing an easier comparison to earlier works.

The frequency of multiple systems will be addressed in §6, but the number of objects in the embedded source group is misleading since all of the observed embedded sources are in multiple systems. For example, the Perseus objects include 13 sources which were mapped in only 4 pointings, whereas in the optical group, only DG Tauri and DG Tauri B (which is an embedded object not thought to be related to DG Tauri except by projected proximity; Jones & Cohen 1986)

were mapped in the same observation.

#### 2.2. Observations

All sources were observed in three configurations (C, B, and A) of the 9-element BIMA Array<sup>2</sup> (Welch et al. 1996). The observations were acquired from 1996 May to 1998 March. The digital correlator was configured with two 700 MHz bands centered at 106.04 GHz and 109.45 GHz. The C<sup>18</sup>O(1-0) line was observed simultaneously; those results will be discussed elsewhere. The two continuum bands were checked for consistency, then combined in the final images. The system temperatures during the observations ranged from 150-700 K (SSB).

In the compact C array (typical synthesized beam of  $\sim 8''$ ), the shortest baselines were limited by the antenna size of 6.1 m, yielding a minimum projected baseline of 2.1 k $\lambda$  and good sensitivity to structures as large as  $\sim 50''$ . In the mid-sized B array (typical synthesized beam of  $\sim 2''$ ), the observations are sensitive to structures as large as  $\sim 10''$ . In the long baseline A array (typical synthesized beam of  $\sim 0''$ .6), the longest baselines were typically 450 k $\lambda$ . The combination of these three arrays provides a well sampled u,v plane from 2.1 k $\lambda$  out to 400 k $\lambda$ .

The uncertainty in the amplitude calibration is estimated to be 20%. In the B and C arrays, the amplitude calibration was boot-strapped from Mars. In the A Array, amplitude calibration was done by assuming the flux of the quasar 3C273 to be 18.8 Jy at the end of 1996 October, 23.0 Jy at the end of 1996 November, and 27.0 Jy until the end of 1997 January. Absolute positions in our map have uncertainty due to the uncertainty in the antenna locations and the statistical variation from the signal-to-noise of the observation. These two factors add in quadrature to give a typical absolute positional uncertainty of 0'.15 in the highest resolution maps.

The A array observations required careful phase calibration. On long baselines, the interferometer phase is very sensitive to atmospheric fluctuations. We employed rapid phase referencing; the observations were switched between source and phase calibrator on a two minute cycle, to follow the atmospheric phase (Holdaway & Owen 1995; Looney, Mundy, & Welch 1997). To monitor the coherence of the atmosphere, or the "seeing", we included a nearby weaker quasar in the observation cycle. This quasar was imaged along with the target source as a check of the point source response and for accurate image registration. In the observations presented here, the secondary quasar always mapped as a point source within statistical uncertainties.

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## 2.3. Displaying the Data

The observational data span u,v distances from  $2.1\text{k}\lambda$  to  $450\text{k}\lambda$ , providing information of the brightness distribution on spatial scales from 0.4 to 60. In order to display this information in the image plane, we have mapped the emission with four different u,v weighting schemes which stress structures on spatial scales of roughly 5, 3, 1, and 0. These resolutions were typically obtained with natural weighting, robust weighting (Briggs 1995) of 1.0, robust weighting of 0.0, and robust weighting of -0.5, respectively.

#### 3. Results

The  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum images from the survey are shown in Figures 1 through 16, first the optical/IR systems and then the deeply embedded systems. In each figure, the four panels display the same multi-configuration data with different u,v weighting schemes to emphasize structures on size scales comparable to the synthesized beam. Table 2 lists, at each resolution, the peak flux, the integrated flux, and the box used to measure the integrated flux. The error bars on the flux measurements represent the statistical uncertainties.

In Figure 17, the source fluxes are presented in a plot comparing the total integrated flux to the ratio of the visibility amplitude at two specific fringe spacings. The horizontal axis is the integrated flux of each object taken from Table 2 and adjusted to the distance of Taurus (140 pc). For the vertical axis, the u,v data were binned in annuli stretching from 2.2 k $\lambda$  to 7.8 k $\lambda$  and from 22 k $\lambda$  to 78 k $\lambda$ , corresponding to average spacings of 5 k $\lambda$  and 50 k $\lambda$  for the distance of Taurus. The ranges were chosen to provide the best signal to noise for a typical source and the best sensitivity to large and small scale structures. The vertical axis plots the ratio of the vector averaged amplitudes in the two bins or the  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio. In order for the ratio to consistently probe the same spatial scales for all objects, we adjusted the bin range to take into account the source distance: for  $\rho$  Ophiuchi we used annuli averaging of 5.7 k $\lambda$  and 57 k $\lambda$ , respectively, and for Perseus we used annuli averaging 12.5 k $\lambda$  and 125 k $\lambda$ , respectively. For objects in multiple systems, the companion objects were subtracted out of the u,v data using the CLEAN components in the lower resolution (5" and 3") maps as a model.

Figure 18 illustrates how to interpret Figure 17 by comparing the visibility curves of a 5000 AU outer radius envelope and a 100 AU radius disk, both at the distance of Taurus (140 pc). This figure is essentially the one-dimensional Fourier Transform of the brightness distribution of the source on the sky. The horizontal axis is the spatial frequency of the interferometer, or the antenna separation in units of wavelengths, and the vertical axis is in Janskys. The visibility of the disk model is similar to an unresolved point source until the disk starts to be resolved at  $\sim$  60 k $\lambda$ . In the case of the envelope, it is quickly resolved and approaches the expected power-law form; the "wiggles" are due to the sharp outer edge of the model. Overall, the  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio provides a measure of the relative emission on spatial scales of 2500 - 9000 AU and 250 - 900 AU

and quantitatively measures the "compactness" of the object. An object with spatially extended structure, such as an envelope with size scales of 1000 AU or larger will have a  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio >1, and an object that is entirely compact, such as a circumstellar disk with radius of  $\sim 100$  AU, will be essentially unresolved in the two bins and the ratio will be unity.

The general trend of Figure 17 is, as expected, that most of the optical sources (solid triangles) are compact  $(5k\lambda/50k\lambda \text{ ratio of } \sim 1)$  and most of the embedded sources (solid squares) are surrounded by envelopes that are being significantly resolved at 50 k $\lambda$  (5k $\lambda$ /50k $\lambda$  ratio >1). However, there are a couple of exceptions worth discussing. First, there are two optical stars with unusually large  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratios— GG Tauri and SVS13 A. GG Tauri is a close binary system with a separation of 0".255 (Leinert et al. 1991) and a large circumbinary disk (diameter  $\sim 400$  AU; Simon & Guilloteau 1992; Dutrey, Guilloteau, & Simon 1994). Thus, in GG Tauri the  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio is resolving the large scale circumbinary disk. SVS13 A, first detected in the infrared at 2.2 μm (Strom, Grasdalen, & Strom 1974; Strom, Vrba, & Strom 1976) is also know to have optical/infrared outbursts (Eislöffel 1991); yet it has a very large  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio. There are two possible explanations: (1) the envelope of the nearby, younger embedded object SVS13 A2 is contributing to the flux of SVS13 A1 at 5 k $\lambda$ , or (2) the optical/infrared emission is a reflection nebula and the source should be classified as embedded. A second set of exceptions are two embedded sources (NGC 1333 IRAS2-B and IRAS4-C) that have unusually small  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$ ratios. Since these sources are not detected in the optical or the near-infrared they are classified as embedded sources, but their  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio and their integrated fluxes in Table 2 indicate that they are compact. These two sources could be optical/near-infrared sources that are viewed through intervening obscuration. The following subsections discuss each of the sources in more detail.

#### 3.1. DG Tauri

DG Tauri is a well studied classical T Tauri star system. Through modeling of the system's SED, Adams, Emerson, & Fuller (1990) estimated a radius of 75 AU for the circumstellar disk. The source was observed in the near-infrared during a lunar occultation (Leinert et al. 1991), and it was determined that the star was a single system with an extended "shell" 6.8 AU in diameter. In addition, near-infrared speckle observations revealed the presence of a "halo" with a diameter of 130 AU (Leinert et al. 1991). In panel (d) of Figure 1, the circumstellar disk around DG Tauri is marginally resolved. Fitting an elliptical Gaussian to the image in panel (d), we obtain a deconvolved Gaussian size of 0″.61  $\pm$  0″.1  $\times$  0″.57  $\pm$  0″.1 with a principal axis of 167°  $\pm$  10°. This result is different from the measurement at  $\lambda = 2.0$  mm from Kitamura, Kawabe, & Saito (1996), which found a deconvolved size of 1″.56  $\times$  0″.54 at a principal axis of 99°, but similar to the measurement at  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm from Dutrey et al. (1996), which found a deconvolved size of 1″.1  $\times$  0″.6 at a principal axis of 150°. The extension to the southwest in panel (d) lies along the direction of the jet (Cohen & Bieging 1986; Stapelfeldt et al. 1997; Lavalley et al. 1997) and may

trace ionized gas in the jet.

#### 3.2. DG Tauri B

DG Tauri B, located 53" southwest of DG Tauri, has a molecular outflow (principal axis of ~ 295°; Mitchell et al. 1994; Mitchell, Sargent, & Mannings 1997) that is driven by a jet seen at optical (Mundt, Brugel, & Bührke 1987) and centimeter (Rodríguez, Anglada, & Raga 1995) wavelengths. DG Tauri B was observed near the half power point of our beam during the observation of DG Tauri; therefore measured fluxes have a significant additional uncertainty. The fluxes listed in Table 2 were corrected for the primary beam attenuation.

The morphology of DG Tauri B changes in Figure 2 with increasing resolution. Going from panel (d) to panel (c) to panel (b), the major elongation of the emission changes from northwest to north to slightly northeast. In panel (a) the emission is triangular with extension to the northwest, northeast, and southwest. The simplest interpretation is that the high resolution image traces the ionized gas, while the lower resolution images trace both ionized gas and dust. The position angle for the larger scale dust emission is then  $\sim 35^{\circ}$ , which is consistent with the optical extinction lane (Stapelfeldt et al. 1997) and perpendicular to the outflow jet. The extended emission in panel (d) strongly resembles the  $\lambda = 3.6$  cm image (Rodríguez, Anglada, & Raga 1995), suggesting that it is tracing ionized gas in the jet. The relative flux numbers in Table 2 suggest that roughly half of the flux arises from dust and half from ionized gas in the jet.

### 3.3. L1551 IRS5

L1551 IRS5, one of the prototypical Class I sources in the classification scheme of Adams, Lada, & Shu (1987), has the most spectacular bipolar molecular outflow in the Taurus cloud (principal axis of  $\sim 50^{\circ}$ ; Snell, Loren, & Plambeck 1980). The  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum data presented here were discussed in detail by Looney, Mundy, & Welch (1997). The source is argued to be a proto-binary system with a large-scale envelope ( $\sim 1300$  AU radius), circumbinary disk, and two circumstellar disks (separation of 0″35). The binary circumstellar disks have recently been resolved in  $\lambda = 7$  mm observations (Rodríguez et al. 1998). In Figure 3 panels (a) and (b), the emission is dominated by the large-scale envelope, while panel (c) clearly shows the circumbinary envelope. In panel (d), the two point-source-like circumstellar disks are still convolved with the low-level emission from the circumbinary envelope which is extended along a principal axis of  $\sim 160^{\circ}$ . The higher resolution image from Looney, Mundy, & Welch (1997) is not shown.

### 3.4. HL Tauri

HL Tauri, perhaps the most studied of the optical/IR visible young stars, has a large-scale CO structure ( $\sim 1500$  AU, Sargent & Beckwith 1991; Hayashi, Ohashi, & Miyama 1994) and a compact circumstellar disk ( $\sim 100$  AU) that has been resolved by the CSO-JCMT interferometer (Lay et al. 1994; Lay et al. 1997) and imaged by the BIMA array (Mundy et al. 1996). Figure 4 shows the new BIMA image which has both lower noise and higher resolution than the image of Mundy et al. (1996).

In panel (d), the circumstellar disk of HL Tauri is clearly evident. Fitting an elliptical Gaussian to the image, we obtain a deconvolved Gaussian size of 0".88±0".1 × 0".58±0".1 and principal axis of  $111^{\circ}\pm10^{\circ}$ , which agrees with the observations of Lay et al. (1994) and Mundy et al. (1996). However, fitting an elliptical Gaussian to the image is not the correct method for determining the true disk size. Recent modeling of the HL Tauri circumstellar disk found that simple models could not fit the CSO-JCMT single baseline interferometer  $\lambda = 650~\mu m$  and 850  $\mu m$  data and the  $\lambda = 2.7~mm$  and 7 mm data (Lay et al. 1997). We will consider more complicated disk models in a subsequent paper. The image in panel (d) also shows an extension to the north-east along the axis of the optical jet, principal axis 46° (Mundt et al. 1990). This feature likely arises from free-free emission in the jet; such free-free emission dominates the highest resolution maps at  $\lambda = 7~mm$  (Wilner et al. 1999).

HL Tauri is classified as an optical source, but has recently been shown to be embedded within a reflection nebula (Stapelfeldt et al. 1995); we do not see the star directly in optical light, but it can be seen directly in the near-infrared (Weintraub, Kastner, & Whitney 1995; Beckwith & Birk 1995). Our data do not conclusively detect envelope emission associated with the extended nebula. The envelope on size scales larger than 3" contributes less than 10% of the dust emission, where our estimate is limited by the uncertainty of the relative amplitude calibration between arrays .

# 3.5. GG Tauri

GG Tauri is a close binary system with a separation of 0.25 (Leinert et al. 1991) and a large circumbinary "ring-like" disk (diameter  $\sim 400$  AU; Simon & Guilloteau 1992; Dutrey, Guilloteau, & Simon 1994). Our images presented in Figure 5, have different u,v weighting schemes from the rest of the surveyed objects stressing size scales of 5", 2", 1", and 0.99. Fitting an elliptical Gaussian to the image in panel (b), we obtain a deconvolved size of 3.4 ± 0.14 × 2.7 ± 0.11 at a position angle of 82° ± 10°, which is in good agreement with Dutrey, Guilloteau, & Simon (1994).

Most of the peaks and valleys in the emission in panel (d) represent  $\leq 2.5\sigma$  variations from an overall flat structure; hence, it is difficult to say whether they are real variations in the surface density or temperature. The emission is not strongly concentrated toward the inner edge of

the ring indicating that there is not a strong surface density gradient within the disk. A more detailed discussion of the disk will be presented in Mundy, Looney, & Welch (1999). No emission is detected from the system at 0".6 resolution; this places upper limits on the emission from any compact structures (< 0".6), such as individual circumstellar disks within the binary system, at a  $3\sigma$  limit of 5 mJy. The companion binary system of this quadruple system, GG Tauri/c, was not detected at any resolution; the  $3\sigma$  upper limit on its flux density is 4 mJy.

### 3.6. GM Aurigae

GM Aurigae is another classical T Tauri star system that has a large-scale CO structure (Koerner, Sargent, & Beckwith 1993). In Figure 6 panel (d), we do not see evidence that the disk is resolved, but the signal-to-noise is poor. Fitting an elliptical Gaussian to the image in panel (d) yields a point source. We can place a limit on the deconvolved Gaussian size for the circumstellar disk of  $\leq 0$ .4, at the 95% confidence level. In panel (c), the emission seems slightly extended along the direction perpendicular to the larger scale CO structure which has a position angle of 55°.

The total flux density reported in Table 2 (22 mJy) is roughly consistent with that measured by Dutrey et al. (1996), 28 mJy. Unlike Dutrey et al., we do not directly resolve the disk. However, we do measure a 35% decrease in flux density between the 5" and 0".6 beams, indicating that some structure is present.

#### 3.7. L1448 IRS3 Region

The L1448 complex is located about  $\sim$ 1° southwest of NGC 1333. IRAS revealed three strong infrared sources in the region, of which L1448 IRS3 was the brightest in the far infrared (Bachiller & Cernicharo 1986). IRS3 is projected within the blueshifted lobe of the impressive, highly collimated molecular outflow from L1448-mm which lies to the southeast (Bachiller et al. 1990; Bachiller, Andrè, & Cabrit 1991). Coinciding within the uncertainties of the L1448 IRS3 source is a very strong H<sub>2</sub>O maser and  $\lambda = 6$  cm compact emission (Anglada et al. 1989). Higher resolution maps in the  $\lambda = 2$  cm and 6 cm continuum found that the source was composed of two sources L1448 N(A) and L1448 N(B) (Curiel et al. 1990; Barsony et al. 1998). Curiel et al. separated the region into two areas: L1448 C, the center of the molecular outflow, and L1448 N corresponding to the IRS3 source. L1448 N(B) contributes most of the flux at millimeter wavelengths (Terebey, Chandler, & André 1993; Terebey & Padgett 1997). A third source is also seen at  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm which lies to the north-west of L1448 N(B) (Terebey & Padgett 1997).

In our images of the region, we clearly detect all three sources which we label: L1448 IRS3 A, B, and C, using the IAU nomenclature. The three sources are indicated in Figure 7 (b). Source A, which is the brightest source at centimeter wavelengths, is significantly weaker than source B at  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm. In fact at the highest resolution, source A is not detected. However, the spectral

index derived by Curiel et al. for source A ( $\alpha \sim 0.2$ ) suggests only  $\sim 2$  mJy of the emission arises from free-free emission. Thus, the millimeter wavelength flux from IRS3 A is likely dominated by dust emission.

Located to the north-west, source C is detected at all resolutions. Unfortunately, source C is too weak to be plotted on the  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio figure. In panels (c) and (d), source B shows very complicated morphology on small scales. There is an outflow associated with the IRS3 region which is nearly parallel to the outflow from L1448-mm, at a position angle of  $\sim$  -21° (Bachiller et al. 1995; Davis & Smith 1995). The extension that is seen in panel (c) and (d) is almost perpendicular with the outflow, but it is unclear if it is an envelope or a large disk. The peak flux density decreases by a factor of two in each step of resolution in Figure 7(b), to (c), to (d), so there is considerable structure on all spatial scales.

#### 3.8. NGC 1333 IRAS2

The NGC 1333 star forming region in Perseus is an extremely active site of star formation with multiple infrared sources (Strom, Vrba, Strom 1976; Aspin, Sandell, & Russell 1994; Lada, Alves, & Lada 1996) and outflows (Sandell et al. 1994; Warin et al. 1996; Bally et al. 1996). NGC 1333 IRAS2 (Jennings et al. 1987) is located on the edge of the large cavity in NGC1333 (Langer, Castets, & Lefloch 1996). The region has a two outflows that originate near IRAS2: the "N-S" outflow with principal axis of  $\sim 25^{\circ}$  (Liseau, Sandell, & Knee 1988) and the "E-W" outflow with principal axis of  $\sim 104^{\circ}$  (Sandell et al. 1994). Recent millimeter interferometric observations show that there are two continuum peaks that are probably associated with the two outflows, and that the northern source (Source A) is responsible for the "E-W" outflow (Blake 1997).

Figures 8 and 9 show NGC 1333 IRAS2 A and B respectively. Source A, the stronger of the two sources, is mostly extended emission, but the flux remaining in panel (d) is consistent with a point source. Source B is mostly compact emission. The extension of source B in panel (d) is nearly perpendicular with the "N-S" outflow, suggesting a possible circumstellar structure.

#### 3.9. SVS 13

Located northwest of IRAS2, the young stellar object SVS13 (Strom, Vrba, Strom 1976; also referred to as SSV13 in the literature from Herbig & Jones 1983) is associated with the NGC 1333 IRAS3 region (Jennings et al. 1987). IRAS3 is comprised of at least 3 millimeter sources: source A located near the infrared position of SVS13, source B to the southwest (Grossman et al. 1987; Chini et al. 1997; Bachiller et al. 1998), and source C further to the southwest (Chini et al. 1997; Bachiller et al. 1998).

Figures 10 and 11 clearly show all three millimeter sources. In panel (b) of both figures

there is another source located to the southwest of source A. This source (which we will call A2) is coincident with VLA source 3 from recent VLA observations of this region (Rodríguez, Anglada, & Curiel 1997). Located  $\sim 6''$  from SVS13, Rodríguez et al. argue that A2 is a better candidate for the HH 7-11 outflow (Rodríguez, Anglada, & Curiel 1997). However, source A2 is only a  $3\sigma$  detection in panel (c) and is not detected at higher resolution. We suggest that its lack of compact structure makes it a less likely candidate for driving the outflow, despite the fact that the centimeter emission suggests that it also has a jet. In addition, the high spectral index in the centimeter ( $\alpha \sim 1.5$ ; Rodríguez, Anglada, & Curiel 1997) and the lack of detection in high resolution  $\lambda = 1.3$  mm observations (Bachiller et al. 1998) suggest that this source may be dominated by free-free emission. Source A1 is coincident with the infrared/optical source SVS13. Since source A1 is an optical source, we would expect it to be an older object. However, our data suggest that A1 is deeply embedded in an envelope. The SVS13 results are discussed in detail in Welch, Looney, & Mundy (1999).

#### 3.10. NGC 1333 IRAS4

One of the most well known sources in the NGC 1333 region is the object NGC 1333 IRAS4, located to the southwest of SVS13. Unresolved in the IRAS images (Jennings et al. 1987), IRAS4 breaks into two bright objects at sub-millimeter wavelengths (Sandell et al. 1991). Our images, Figures 12, 13, and 14, show three objects: IRAS4 A, B, and C. Our data provide the first indication that source C may be a young star. Source C is detected at all resolutions, has a  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio near 1, and the integrated flux in Table 2 is constant at all resolutions. The source C characteristics are more like those of an optical/IR source than its IRAS4 companions.

NGC1333 IRAS4 A & B have been observed with the CSO-JCMT single baseline interferometer at  $\lambda=840~\mu\mathrm{m}$  (Lay, Carlstrom, & Hills 1995). Their best fit for source A was two elliptical Gaussians, and indeed, in our images source A is a binary system. It is interesting to note that the best fit fluxes from Lay et al. give a ratio of 0.78, while our two sources have a flux ratio of 0.25. This suggests that either the dust emissivity of these two objects vary differently with frequency or the optical depth is very different. For source B, the CSO-JCMT data could not be fit with a single star or binary model. Lay et al. suggest that source B may be a triple system; however, they were not aware of source C at that time, which may have confused their analysis. Our image of source B shows weak extensions  $(4\sigma)$  to the north and southwest, but our data are not sufficient to determine the nature of these features. They could trace a multiple stellar system or inhomogeneities within the envelope.

#### 3.11. VLA 1623

The source VLA 1623, near the center of the  $\rho$  Ophiuchi cloud core A, is the prototypical Class 0 source (Andrè, Ward-Thompson, & Barsony 1993) that drives a large outflow with principal axis  $\sim$  -60° (Andrè et al. 1990; Dent et al. 1995; Yu & Chernin 1997). This source has been observed with the CSO-JCMT single baseline interferometer at  $\lambda = 1360$  and 845  $\mu$ m (Pudritz et al. 1996). They modeled the source as a Gaussian and placed a 70 AU radius upper limit on the size of the compact circumstellar disk.

Recent, high resolution VLA observations at  $\lambda=3.6$  cm (Bontemps & Andrè 1997) show a series of emission clumps that are interpreted as knots of a radio jet driving the large CO outflow. However, the position angle of the radio jet and the CO outflow differ by  $\sim 30^{\circ}$ . In our highest resolution images, Figure 15 panels (c) and (d), the millimeter emission breaks into nearly equal point sources. The two crosses mark the positions of the two centimeter sources from Bontemps & Andrè (1997) that appear associated with the millimeter emission; the source positions at the two wavelengths agree to within the uncertainties. The total emission from the two sources at  $\lambda=3.6$  cm is less than 1 mJy, so free-free emission is probably not contributing much of the 70 mJy seen at  $\lambda=2.7$  mm. In addition, we have reanalyzed the data of Pudritz et al. (1996) and find that a binary interpretation is also consistent with their data due to their limited u,v sampling. Thus, the emission at  $\lambda=2.7$  mm is probably dominated by dust emission. VLA 1623 is most likely a very young binary system with two circumstellar disks. Like IRAS 16293-2422, we refer to the southern source as A and the northern source as B.

### 3.12. IRAS 16293-2422

IRAS 16293-2422 is a very well studied deeply embedded binary system with two molecular outflows (Walker et al. 1986; Wootten 1989; Mundy et al. 1992; Walker et al. 1993) in  $\rho$  Ophiuchi. The outflow from the southern source A has a principal axis of  $\sim 50^{\circ}$ , and the outflow of the northern source B has a principal axis of  $\sim 75^{\circ}$ . The outflow from source B does not extend down near to the source, which may indicate that source B is no longer driving its outflow. In high resolution observations at  $\lambda = 2$  cm, the system is comprised of three peaks: A1 and A2 to the southeast and B to the northwest (Wootten 1989). In Figure 16, we detect the two sources, A and B, that were detected previously at  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm (Mundy et al. 1986; Mundy et al. 1992). In panel (c), there is still a clear connection between the two sources that is most likely a circumbinary envelope. In panel (d), the massive circumbinary envelope is mostly resolved-out and the residual emission arises from two compact sources and some weak extensions that are probably attributed to density enhancements within the circumbinary structure. At high resolution, source A appears elongated along the position angle of the  $\lambda = 2$  cm sources, which are indicated in panel (d) as crosses. IRAS 16293-2422 source A has the highest  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio in the survey. In fact, the ratio is twice as large as the next highest source L1448 IRS3 B. Thus, source A has most of its mass in

the envelope, perhaps making it one of the younger sources in this survey.

Our measurement of the integrated flux from this source is higher than previous observations (e.g. Walker et al. 1993). This is because we have shorter spacing u,v data which pick up the extended structure of the circumbinary envelope better than previous works. If we remove the shorter u,v spacings, the total integrated flux is  $\sim 750$  mJy, which is more in agreement with the previous measurements.

## 4. Comparison of Structure

There is a striking difference between the embedded objects and the optical/IR objects in our survey. The optical sources have compact emission on spatial scales of  $\sim 1''$  with little large-scale envelope emission. This is illustrated both in Figure 17 and by the peak/integrated fluxes in Table 2. The peak flux does not change significantly, even down to size scales of  $\sim 1''$ .5, until the resolution is sufficient to see the circumstellar disk. This contrasts strongly with the embedded objects which typically have  $\geq 85\%$  of their emission in large scale structures. The embedded sources, Figures 7 through 16, show dramatic change in structure as the resolution is varied through the panels. Structures are resolved-out as the shorter u,v spacings are down-weighted in the higher resolution images. At the highest resolution, the embedded objects typically have a residual compact component, but the flux of this component is significantly less than that in large scale extended emission. In addition, the embedded objects often show complex sub-structure within the field.

Indeed, it is usually difficult to isolate the circumstellar disk from the envelope in the embedded sources, even at 0.5 resolution. In most cases, the emission shows no discontinuity in flux between 1 and 3 scales; this indicates that any disk present cannot be significantly more massive than the mass of the envelope extended to small scales. Since the embedded sources are typically a factor of two farther away than the optical sources, we cannot establish whether the disks in embedded systems are systematically less massive than typical disks around young optical stars. Nonetheless, the younger disks do not appear to be prominent mass reservoirs compared to their envelopes on the few hundred AU scale.

However, it is interesting to note that even in the two nearest embedded systems VLA 1623 and IRAS 16293-2422, where our spatial resolution is comparable to the Taurus systems, the disk and envelope contributions to the continuum emission are difficult to disentangle. In the VLA 1623 system, roughly one-third of the total flux is in the large-scale circumbinary envelope, and two-thirds is in the two unresolved components ( $\leq 160$  diameter); each compact component may be a  $\sim 0.04 \mathrm{M}_{\odot}$  circumstellar disk or a combination of an individual circumstellar envelope and a circumstellar disk. In the IRAS 16293-2422 system, most of the flux ( $\sim 85\%$ ) is in the large scale circumbinary envelope and any disk flux is less than 15% of the total flux, but even here the envelope emission could still be significant fraction of the flux at small scales.

Overall, our results generally support a picture in which most embedded systems have disk masses which are comparable to, or less than, the typical disk masses of  $\sim 0.02~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  found for young optical stars (Osterloh & Beckwith 1995). Most theoretical works find that the disk grows in prominence with time as the system evolves. Cassen & Moosman (1981) showed that the detailed evolution of a disk is very dependent upon the distribution of mass and angular momentum in the original cloud and dissipative processes within the disk. For a range of assumptions, they found that the disk should grow more massive and larger with time. Building upon these results, Stahler et al. (1994) considered a disk with negligible viscosity that was formed as soon as the angular momentum in the infalling material caused it to "miss" the protostar. They found that the radius of the disk is a strong function of time, increasing as  $t^3$ . As the accretion rate onto the star begins to fall off, the mass of the disk increases. Recent results using magnetic collapse models (Basu 1998), predict that the early disk grows less strongly, increasing only linearly with time, but, in these models, the disk starts out more massive since less material can fall directly onto the star. Unfortunately, even higher linear resolution observations than those presented here are needed to fully isolate disks in most embedded systems and test detailed theoretical predictions.

### 5. Simple Mass Comparison

How does the circumstellar mass in the optical systems and embedded systems compare? The  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm emission provides a measure of circumstellar mass in these systems. Detailed modeling, including data from a variety of wavelengths, is needed to provide the best mass estimates, but the accuracy of any mass estimate is limited by the uncertainty in the dust emissivity and the true structure of the source. Since the purpose of this paper is to present a survey, we will apply a very simple emissivity model, and some assumptions, to make a rough mass estimate for the different systems. We adopt a single-temperature, optically thin source model so that  $F_{\nu} = B_{\nu}(T_{dust})\kappa_{\nu}M/D^2$ , where  $B_{\nu}(T)$  is the Planck function,  $T_{dust}$  is the temperature of the dust,  $\kappa_{\nu}$  is the dust mass opacity, M is the mass of gas and dust, and D is the distance to the source. For the dust temperature, we will assume characteristic temperatures of 35 K for the deeply embedded objects and 60 K for the disk dominated systems. For the dust mass opacity (Beckwith & Sargent 1991; Draine 1990; Pollack et al. 1994; Stognienko, Henning, & Ossenkopf 1995), we adopt a  $\kappa_{\nu}$  which is consistent with other works (e.g. Beckwith & Sargent 1991; Ohashi et al. 1991; Osterloh & Beckwith 1995):  $\kappa_{\nu} = 0.1(\nu/1200 \text{ GHz}) \text{ cm}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$ , corresponding to  $\kappa_{\nu} =$  $0.009~{\rm cm^2~g^{-1}}$  at  $\lambda=2.7~{\rm mm}$ . Although we do not expect this simple model to give accurate masses, it provides rough estimates that are adequate for qualitative comparisons and are arguably within a factor of 2 of the likely mass. More detailed modeling of the individual sources will be done in subsequent papers.

Table 3 lists the estimated mass for each source, as well as the best fitted positions from the highest resolution image (typical positional uncertainties of 0".15). The masses show more than a factor of a hundred range from the least to most massive system in our sample. Where there is

overlap, there is reasonable agreement between the simple model and published mass estimates. For example, the mass for HL Tauri in Table 3,  $0.05~{\rm M}_{\odot}$ , is within the range of masses previously found,  $0.05~{\rm to}~0.1~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  (Beckwith et al. 1990; Mundy et al. 1996, Wilner, Ho, & Rodríguez 1996; Close et al. 1997), and our mass for DG Tauri,  $0.03~{\rm M}_{\odot}$ , is consistent with previous estimates of  $0.02~{\rm to}~0.04~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  (Beckwith et al. 1990; Dutrey et al. 1996). For the embedded systems IRAS 16293-2422 and L1448 IRS3, our estimated masses of 1.1  ${\rm M}_{\odot}$  and  $0.74~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  respectively, are similar to other interferometric estimates,  $1~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  for IRAS 16293-2422 (e.g. Mundy et al. 1992) and  $0.5~{\rm M}_{\odot}$  for L1448 IRS3 B (e.g. Terebey, Chandler, & André 1993).

The circumstellar masses for the two categories, optical/infrared and deeply embedded sources, follow the expected trend: the embedded objects typically have a factor of 5 or so larger masses. Comparing circumstellar masses and stellar masses for the optical sources, as expected, these stars have already acquired most of their final mass. The luminosities of the optical/infrared systems range from  $\sim 1$  to  $30~\rm L_{\odot}$ , suggesting central masses of  $0.5~\rm to~1.5~\rm M_{\odot}$ , whereas their circumstellar masses in Table 3 range from  $0.01~\rm to~0.08~\rm M_{\odot}$ .

The embedded systems have typical circumstellar masses of  $\sim 0.5~\rm M_{\odot}$ , with the largest one, NGC 1333 IRAS 4 A, near 3 M $_{\odot}$ . The luminosities of the embedded systems range from  $\sim 1~\rm L_{\odot}$  for VLA 1623 to  $\sim 50~\rm L_{\odot}$  for the NGC 1333 SVS 13 system. Given the star formation regions in which they are found (NGC 1333 and Ophiuchi) and their luminosities, it is likely that the embedded sources are forming a similar range of stellar masses to that of the optical/infrared sources. Thus, the current circumstellar masses are generally comparable to the expected stellar masses. Unfortunately, the current masses of the forming stellar bodies is unknown. Nearly all of the observed systems have outflows, centralized dust heating, and significant luminosities, indicating that a stellar object is present. The current stellar mass required to generate the observed luminosity can be roughly estimated, if it is assumed that the observed circumstellar mass is accreting on a central object at a constant rate over the typical duration of this phase of  $10^5$  years. For a stellar radius of 3 R $_{\odot}$ , the derived stellar masses are in the range of 0.05 M $_{\odot}$  to  $0.4~\rm M_{\odot}$ . This simple approach suggests that the stellar cores in the embedded systems are likely to have already attained a significant fraction (10 to 40%) of their final stellar masses.

### 6. Young Multiple Systems

All of the embedded sources in our survey are either part of small groupings or are in close binary systems. Even though our sample may be biased due to our selection criteria, binary systems appear to be common in the earliest stages of star formation. Three possible explanations for the large number of embedded binary systems are: (1) small sample statistics, (2) selection effects in our sample, such that binary, embedded sources were preferentially chosen, or (3) true high multiplicity among younger systems (Ghez, Neugebauer, & Matthews 1993).

On the first point, even though we observed a small number of systems, the probability of

choosing six multiple systems from a Taurus-like binary fraction distribution of  $\sim 60\%$  (e.g. Ghez, Neugebauer, &, Matthews 1993) is low (only 4.7%) but it can not be ruled out. On the second point, one obvious selection bias would be if binary systems typically have more massive envelopes than single star systems, making embedded binary systems brighter at millimeter wavelengths. This supposition is opposite to the trend seen in older, optical T Tauri binaries; studies of these systems (Beckwith et al. 1990; Jensen, Mathieu, & Fuller 1994, 1996; Osterloh & Beckwith 1995) provide statistical evidence that T Tauri binary systems have less millimeter emission than single systems. However, the emission properties of young binary systems could be time dependent—young embedded binary systems could be brighter millimeter sources than coeval single star systems, because they have more massive envelopes. As they evolve, their envelopes disappear and the remaining material is more rapidly processed through their circumstellar disks than in single star systems, and they become less bright at millimeter wavelengths than comparable single star systems. Data on more embedded systems are needed to test this possibility.

On the third point, the evolution of binarity among stellar systems is an open question. Our results support the idea that binaries and multiple systems may be more common in younger systems; however, our criteria for identifying multiple systems is fairly loose. Systems with separations of 5000 AU or more are valid pairs for forming stars because the reservoir of cloud material that the forming stars draws from is typically several thousand, or more, AU. But, as such systems evolve, the loss of envelope mass and interactions with other stars forming in the cloud provide mechanisms for unbinding loose binary systems. The evidence for evolutionary trends in the binarity of optical young stars is contradictory. Speckle observations of the Hyades cluster, a young main-sequence cluster, find that the occurrence of binary systems in the cluster is larger than in the local solar neighborhood but less than the Taurus clouds (Patience et al. 1998), but studies of additional optical clusters did not confirm the trend of decreasing binary occurrence with age (Patience et al. 1999). It is also possible that binary formation mechanisms have a dependence on the initial conditions of the pre-collapse cloud (Durisen & Sterzik 1994) or the density of the star forming cluster (Bouvier, Rigaut, & Nadeau 1997), so simple comparison of different regions may not be valid. Broader survey work is needed to separate the different possible factors. The solid result from our work is that multiplicity is common and established early in the formation process and on a variety of scales.

The most favored mechanism for the early formation of binary and multiple stellar systems is fragmentation within either the initial cloud core or the circumstellar disk. Fragmentation during the earliest stages of the isothermal collapse of a cloud core, due to perturbations or non-spherical cores, can form binary systems with separations ranging from 10 to  $10^4$  AU (Boss & Bodenheimer 1979; Monaghan & Lattanzio 1986; Bonnell et al. 1991; Bonnell & Bastien 1992; Boss 1993; Bate, Bonnell, & Price 1995). Fragmentation due to gravitational instabilities in the circumstellar disk systems may form binary systems with separations ranging from  $10 R_{\odot}$  to 100 AU (Adams, Ruden, & Shu 1989; Shu et al. 1990; Bonnell 1994; Bonnell & Bate 1994). In our survey, the majority of the circumstellar mass in embedded systems is in the large-scale envelope, with very

little mass in circumstellar disks. This would suggest that fragmentation occurs during the early evolution of the core in most systems. However, the Perseus clouds are distant enough that we would not detect close (< 150 AU separation) binary systems, the primary regime of the disk fragmentation and the dominate population for optical binary stars. Of the optical sources in our survey, all of which are located in the Taurus cloud, only two appear to be binary systems— GG Tauri and L1551 IRS5. Both of these sources could have been formed by disk fragmentation since they both have circumbinary structures. Observations with resolution of 10 AU, or smaller, are needed to probe the fragmentational history of close binaries.

Morphologically, we can identify three types of multiple systems in our sample: separate envelope, common envelope, and common disk systems (Table 4). The characteristics of the different systems are defined by the broad distribution of the circumstellar material. Separate envelope systems exhibit clearly distinct centers of gravitational concentration with separations of  $\geq 6000$  AU; the components are within a larger surrounding core of low density material. Common envelope systems have one primary core of gravitational concentration which breaks into multiple objects at separations of 100 - 3000 AU. Common disk systems have separations of  $\leq 100$  AU and typically have circumbinary disk-like distributions of material. Table 5 lists the binary systems with our classification, their association, and the projected separation. The association number assigned in Table 5 identifies members of common envelope or common disk systems.

There are several clear connections between these morphological distinctions and other works. The study of the separation distribution of optical binaries by Larson (1995) found a knee in the distribution at 0.04 pc (8250 AU) which was identified with the Jeans size. Larson suggested that systems on that scale and larger formed by fragmentation and separate collapse, exactly the structure found in the separate envelope systems. This scenario of prompt initial fragmentation is not new (e.g. Larson 1978, Pringle 1989, Bonnell et al. 1991); it was discussed recently by Bonnell et al. (1997) in the context of small cluster formation. The critical issue is that the collapse is initiated in a system which contains multiple Jeans masses in a weakly condensed configuration; one example of such a system would be a prolate Gaussian distribution with several Jeans masses along the long axis and one Jeans mass across the short axes. In systems with large separations, ambipolar diffusion in self-gravitating, magnetic clouds may play an important role (e.g. Mouschovias 1991).

The common envelope systems can be linked with models for the fragmentation of moderately centrally-condensed spherical systems (Burkert & Bodenheimer 1993; Boss 1995, Boss 1997). In these models, fragmentation occurs in the dense central region within an overall single core. The primary requirement for fragmentation is that the central region has a fairly flat distribution. However, evidence of this flat region is erased quickly once the fragmentation and collapse occurs, and the forming multiple system is left embedded within a single centrally condensed core. Finally, the common disk systems are similar to models of high angular momenta systems (Artymowiez & Lubow 1994; Bate & Bonnell 1997). This implies that close stellar systems may be created by fragmentation of early disks or pseudo-disk structures created early in the collapse (e.g. Galli

& Shu 1993). The distribution of material between circumstellar and circumbinary structures in such systems, depends sensitively on the angular momentum of the infalling material.

#### 7. Conclusions

We have presented the first sub-arcsecond millimeter wavelength survey of the dust continuum emission towards 24 young stellar systems. Morphologically, the systems can be divided into young, embedded objects and older optical/infrared sources. The optical systems show compact emission from circumstellar disks that only begins to be resolved at  $\sim 1''$  resolution. In two systems, HL Tauri and DG Tauri, we resolve the circumstellar disk. The embedded systems show thermal dust emission that is dominated by their circumstellar envelopes with weak residual emission at small scales. The embedded systems have  $\geq 85\%$  of their  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum emission from large scale structures. This suggests that young circumstellar disks of the embedded systems are not prominent mass reservoirs compared to the inner circumstellar envelope. In fact, for most of the embedded systems, there is no obvious discontinuity in flux between 1" and 3". Thus, if there are circumstellar disks in these systems, they are not more massive than the expected mass of the power-law envelope extrapolated to small scales.

Simple estimates of the circumstellar mass (not including the star) in our systems show that the circumstellar mass of the embedded systems (ranging from 0.04 to  $2.9~{\rm M}_{\odot}$ ) is, as expected, larger than the circumstellar mass of the optical/infrared systems (0.01 to  $0.08~{\rm M}_{\odot}$ ). Typically, the embedded systems have a factor of 5 or so larger circumstellar masses. This follows the broad trend that the older optical/infrared sources have nearly reached their final stellar mass, since there is little mass left to accrete, and that the younger, embedded sources have not reached their final stellar mass, since it is expected that a fraction of the circumstellar mass will be accreted. However, simple calculations for the embedded systems based on luminosity and circumstellar mass, suggest that the embedded systems may have already accreted a significant fraction (10% or more) of their probable final stellar mass.

The survey has a large number of multiple systems; all of the embedded objects are in small groupings or binary systems. Morphologically, based on the system separation, we categorize our sample into three types of multiple systems: separate envelope (separation  $\geq$  6500 AU), common envelope (separation 150-3000 AU), and common disk (separation  $\leq$  100 AU). The separate envelope group links with the idea of initial fragmentation and collapse of multiple Jeans masses within a weakly condensed configuration (e.g. Larson 1978; Pringle 1989; Bonnell et al. 1991). The common envelope group is similar to fragmentation of a moderately centrally condensed spherical system (e.g. Burkert & Bodenheimer 1993; Boss 1995, 1997). Finally, the common disk group connects with fragmentation of the early disk due to high angular momentum (Artymowiez & Lubow 1994; Bate & Bonnell 1997). These three categories suggest three distinct times during the star formation process where specific fragmentation mechanisms dominate the binary formation process. Thus, the separation morphology may also indicate a time sequence at which binaries

form in stellar evolution.

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Table 1. Source List

Source	Distance (pc)	Optical/IR or Embedded	Class	Main Calibrator	Secondary Calibrator	Dist. Ref.
L1448 IRS3 A	300	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
L1448 IRS3 B	300	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
L1448 IRS3 C	300	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS2 A	350	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS2 B	350	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
SVS 13 A1	350	Optical/IR		3C111	0336 + 323	2
SVS 13 A2	350	Embedded		3C111	0336 + 323	2
SVS 13 B	350	Embedded		3C111	0336 + 323	2
SVS 13 C	350	Embedded		3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS4 A1	350	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS4 A2	350	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS4 B	350	Embedded	0	3C111	0336 + 323	2
NGC1333 IRAS4 C	350	Embedded		3C111	0336 + 323	2
DG Tauri	140	Optical/IR	II	3C111	0431 + 206	1
DG Tauri B <sup>a</sup>	140	${ m Optical/IR}$	I	3C111	0431 + 206	1
L1551 IRS5	140	${ m Optical/IR}$	I	3C111	0336 + 323	1
HL Tauri	140	${ m Optical/IR}$	II	0530 + 135	0431 + 206	1
GG Tauri	140	Optical/IR	II	0530 + 135	0431 + 206	1
GM Aurigae	140	Optical/IR	II	3C111	3C123	1
VLA 1623	160	Embedded	0	1733 - 130	1625 - 254	3
IRAS 16293-2422 A	160	Embedded	0	1733-130	1625 - 254	3
IRAS 16293-2422 B	160	Embedded	0	1733-130	1625 - 254	3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>DG Tauri B observed near the FWHM of primary beam.

References. — (1) Elias 1978; (2) Herbig & Jones 1983; (3) Whittet 1974

Table 2. Source Flux

Source	Panel	Peak Flux	Integrated Flux	Box Size
		mJy/beam	mJy	
L1448 IRS3 A	(a)	$26.5 \pm 1.6$	$23.1 \pm\ 2.6$	11".2 × 6".3
	(b)	$14.5 {\pm} 1.5$	$26.7 \pm 3.3$	$8\rlap.{''}3 \times 5\rlap.{''}8$
	(c)	$6.8 {\pm} 1.6$	$19.3 \pm 3.7$	$2''.3 \times 2''.9$
	(d)	< 6.7		
L1448 IRS3 B	(a)	$101.5 \pm 1.6$	$134.6 \pm 3.9$	$17\rlap.{''}0 \times 9\rlap.{''}8$
	(b)	$84.9 {\pm} 1.5$	$135.6 \pm 4.8$	$11\rlap.{''}0 \times 9\rlap.{''}0$
	(c)	$41.1 {\pm} 1.6$	$135.2 \pm 6.7$	$4\rlap.{''}5 \times 4\rlap.{''}9$
	(d)	$22.5 {\pm} 2.3$	$115.7 \pm 9.5$	$2\rlap.{''}8 \times 2\rlap.{''}4$
L1448 IRS3 C	(a)	$14.9 {\pm} 1.6$	$31.7 \pm 4.1$	$10\rlap.{''}7\times17\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$11.7{\pm}1.5$	$31.9 \pm \ 3.7$	$5\rlap.{''}0 \times 12\rlap.{''}0$
	(c)	$9.8 {\pm} 1.6$	$14.3 \pm \ 3.2$	$2''.5 \times 2''.0$
	(d)	$8.7 {\pm} 2.3$	$8.7\pm~2.3$	$0\rlap.{''}7 \times 0\rlap.{''}5$
N1333 IRAS2A	(a)	$46.5 {\pm} 1.3$	$82.8 \pm \ 4.0$	$16\rlap.{''}4 \times 16\rlap.{''}3$
	(b)	$36.2 {\pm} 1.2$	$74.4 \pm\ 4.0$	$11\rlap.{''}0\times12\rlap.{''}0$
	(c)	$22.3 {\pm} 1.7$	$36.1 \pm 4.4$	$2''.9 \times 2''.2$
	(d)	$18.4 {\pm} 2.7$	$22.4 \pm\ 4.8$	$1\rlap.{''}4 \times 0\rlap.{''}9$
N1333 IRAS2B	(a)	$21.3 {\pm} 1.3$	$27.7 \pm\ 3.2$	$12\rlap.{''}8\times13\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$19.6 {\pm} 1.2$	$24.4 \pm\ 2.7$	$6\rlap.{''}6\times9\rlap.{''}2$
	(c)	$18.9 {\pm} 1.7$	$24.7 \pm \ 3.5$	$1\rlap.{''}9 \times 2\rlap.{''}2$
	(d)	$16.9 {\pm} 2.7$	$24.3 \pm 5.1$	$1''_{\cdot \cdot \cdot 2} \times 1''_{\cdot \cdot \cdot 2}$
SVS 13 A	(a)	$47.3 {\pm} 1.1$	$101.3 \pm 4.2$	$26\rlap.{''}0 \times 15\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$37.4 {\pm} 1.1$	$100.3 \pm 4.7$	$20\rlap.{''}7\times10\rlap.{''}2$
	(c)	$19.2 {\pm} 1.5$	$38.7 \pm \ 4.1$	$2''.9 \times 2''.9$
	(d)	$11.0 \pm 2.2$	$38.0 \pm 6.6$	$1\rlap.{''}7 \times 2\rlap.{''}2$
SVS 13 B	(a)	$52.0 \pm 1.1$	$123.0 \pm 4.5$	$31\rlap.{''}5 \times 14\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$41.7 {\pm} 1.1$	$110.4 \pm \ 3.7$	$10\rlap.{''}1 \times 13\rlap.{''}0$
	(c)	$25.3 {\pm} 1.5$	$41.4 \pm 3.6$	$2''_{\cdot}2 \times 3''_{\cdot}0$
	(d)	$19.4 {\pm} 2.2$	$48.2 \pm 6.6$	$1\rlap.{''}5 \times 2\rlap.{''}5$
SVS 13 C	(a)	$11.7 {\pm} 1.1$	$21.0 \pm 2.5$	$14\rlap.{''}0 \times 10\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$9.6 {\pm} 1.1$	$19.8 \pm \ 2.7$	$9\rlap.{''}1 \times 7\rlap.{''}6$
	(c)	$8.5{\pm}1.5$	$8.5 \pm 1.5$	$1\rlap.{''}1 \times 1\rlap.{''}0$
	(d)	$11.1 \pm 2.2$	$11.1 \pm\ 2.2$	$0\rlap.{''}7 \times 0\rlap.{''}5$
N1333 IRAS4A	(a)	$351.2 \pm 3.1$	$544.2 \pm 13.6$	$25\rlap.{''}0\times24\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$280.4{\pm}1.9$	$525.6 \pm 9.2$	$12\rlap.{''}0\times18\rlap.{''}5$
	(c)	$172.2 \pm 2.1$	$449.7 \pm 9.8$	$5\rlap.{''}4 \times 6\rlap.{''}2$
A1 Only	(d)	$107.0 \pm 2.9$	$324.1 \pm 12.0$	$2''.9 \times 2''.2$

Table 2—Continued

Source	Panel	Peak Flux mJy/beam	Integrated Flux mJy	Box Size
A2 Only	(d)	$23.0 \pm 2.9$	81.2± 8.1	1".8 × 1".6

Table 2—Continued

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Source	Panel	Peak Flux	Integrated Flux	Box Size
		mJy/beam	mJy	
N1333 IRAS4B	(a)	143.3±3.1	$180.3 \pm 7.9$	12".0 × 17".0
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	(c)	$94.0 \pm 2.1$	$148.9 \pm 5.9$	$3''.4 \times 3''.6$
	(d)	$57.6 \pm 2.9$	$128.8 \pm 7.9$	$1''.7 \times 1''.6$
N1333 IRAS4C	(a)	$47.8 \pm 3.1$	$49.8 \pm 5.5$	9".0 × 11".0
	(b)	$48.5{\pm}1.9$	$50.7 \pm \ 3.8$	$5.5' \times 7.0'$
	(c)	$39.9 \pm 2.1$	$57.0 \pm 4.9$	$3''_{\cdot}0 \times 2''_{\cdot}8$
	(d)	$26.9 {\pm} 2.9$	$51.6 \pm 6.9$	$1.4 \times 1.5$
DG Tauri	(a)	$57.7 \pm 2.7$	$66.0 \pm 5.8$	$11.4 \times 11.2$
	(b)	$53.6 \pm 2.0$	$73.8 \pm 6.2$	9".0 × 10".4
	(c)	$46.0 \pm 1.9$	$71.3 \pm 4.8$	$2''.9 \times 2''.9$
	(d)	$34.6 {\pm} 1.6$	$68.9 \pm 5.1$	$2''.1 \times 2''.5$
DG Tauri B <sup>a</sup>	(a)	$45.0 \pm 4.8$	$78.4 \pm 11.3$	13".0 × 12".0
	(b)	$38.8 {\pm} 3.5$	$72.7 \pm 10.9$	$7\rlap.{''}8 \times 11\rlap.{''}8$
	(c)	$30.6 \pm 3.4$	$47.8 \pm 7.2$	$1\rlap.{''}9 \times 3\rlap.{''}1$
	(d)	$22.7 {\pm} 2.8$	$49.4 \pm 8.8$	1"4 × 1"8
L1551 IRS5	(a)	$133.9 \pm 2.6$	$173.3 \pm 7.5$	$17''.0 \times 14''.0$
	(b)	$120.7 \pm 2.5$	$177.2 \pm 7.9$	$12\rlap.{''}0 \times 8\rlap.{''}8$
	(c)	$77.9 \pm 3.3$	$145.2 \pm 9.1$	$2\rlap.{''}7 \times 3\rlap.{''}5$
	(d)	$56.0 \pm 3.9$	$107.0 \pm 11.1$	$1\rlap.{''}3 \times 1\rlap.{''}9$
HL Tauri	(a)	$102.7 {\pm} 1.7$	$108.6 \pm 4.6$	$19\rlap.{''}0\times17\rlap.{''}8$
	(b)	$90.9 {\pm} 1.7$	$113.6 \pm 4.8$	$9\rlap.{''}0 \times 9\rlap.{''}6$
	(c)	$70.3 {\pm} 2.4$	$106.2 \pm 6.0$	$2''.6 \times 2''.9$
	(d)	$48.8 {\pm} 2.9$	$106.9 \pm 7.8$	$1\rlap.{''}8 \times 1\rlap.{''}5$
GG Tauri	(a)	$56.7 {\pm} 1.8$	$73.5 \pm 4.4$	$12\rlap.{''}6 \times 12\rlap.{''}4$
	(b)	$27.2 {\pm} 1.2$	$72.5 \pm \ 3.6$	$7\rlap.{''}5 \times 6\rlap.{''}7$
	(c)	$10.3 {\pm} 1.2$	$78.0 \pm 5.0$	$4\rlap.{''}8 \times 4\rlap.{''}9$
	(d)	$10.8 {\pm} 1.5$	$95.2 \pm 6.8$	$4\rlap.{''}4 \times 4\rlap.{''}5$
GM Aurigae	(a)	$20.3 {\pm} 1.1$	$22.0 \pm\ 2.6$	$12\rlap.{''}0\times14\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$19.2 {\pm} 0.9$	$22.3\!\pm2.0$	$7\rlap.{''}8 \times 6\rlap.{''}2$
	(c)	$13.6 {\pm} 1.6$	$19.6 \pm \ 3.0$	$2''_{\cdot}0 \times 2''_{\cdot}2$
	(d)	$13.4 {\pm} 2.5$	$13.4 \pm\ 2.5$	$0\rlap.{''}6 \times 0\rlap.{''}5$
VLA 1623 A&B	(a)	$54.2 \pm 3.0$	$72.1 \pm\ 6.8$	$9\rlap.{''}4 \times 18\rlap.{''}0$
	(b)	$44.2 {\pm} 2.2$	$53.5 \pm 4.3$	$5\rlap.{''}4 \times 8\rlap.{''}0$
A Only	(c)	$22.8{\pm}2.0$	$34.4 \pm\ 4.3$	$1\rlap.{''}6 \times 3\rlap.{''}4$
B Only	(c)	$25.0 \pm 2.0$	$32.5 \pm\ 4.3$	$1\rlap.{''}6 \times 3\rlap.{''}4$

Table 2—Continued

Source	Panel	Peak Flux mJy/beam	Integrated Flux mJy	Box Size
A Only	(d)	$22.4\pm3.5$	$25.5 \pm 6.3$	0'.'9 × 1'.'7
B Only	(d)	$25.8\pm3.5$	$25.8 \pm 3.5$	0'.'4 × 0'.'9

Table 2—Continued

Source	Panel	Peak Flux mJy/beam	Integrated Flux mJy	Box Size
IRAS 16293-2422 A Only B Only	(a) (b) (b)	$412.6\pm5.8$ $176.4\pm4.2$ $305.3\pm4.2$	$1017.9\pm26.5$ $441.2\pm14.1$ $551.4\pm14.1$	$22''.2 \times 27''.2$ $12''.1 \times 10''.0$ $12''.5 \times 9''.7$
A Only B Only	(c) (c)	$60.1\pm4.1$ $154.1\pm4.1$	$358.3\pm18.5$ $498.4\pm17.2$	5".2 × 5".1 6".0 × 3".8
A Only B Only	(d) (d)	$43.6\pm4.8$ $112.7\pm4.8$	$276.2 \pm 22.9 \\ 424.2 \pm 24.2$	$3.1 \times 4.8$ $3.4 \times 4.9$

<sup>a</sup>DG Tauri B fluxes were corrected for primary beam attenuation; thus fluxes given have a larger overall uncertainty than the rest of the survey.

Table 3. Positions, Simple Estimates of Mass, and  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  Ratio

Source	$\alpha$ (J2000)	$\delta$ (J2000)	${\rm Mass} \atop ({\rm M}_{\odot})$	$5k\lambda/50k\lambda$ Ratio
L1448 IRS3 A	$03^h 25^m 36.532$	$+30^{\circ}45^{'}21\rlap{.}''35$	0.09	$3.7 \pm 0.4$
L1448 IRS3 B	$03^h 25^m 36.339$	$+30^{\circ}45^{\prime}14\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}94$	0.52	
L1448  IRS3 C	$03^h 25^m 35^s 653$	$+30^{\circ}45^{\prime}34\rlap.{''}20$	0.12	
NGC1333 IRAS2 A	$03^h 28^m 55 .571$	$+31^{\circ}14^{\prime}37\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}22$	0.44	$2.5 {\pm} 0.4$
NGC1333 IRAS2 B	$03^h 28^m 57^{\rm s} 349$	$+31^{\circ}14^{'}15\rlap{.}''93$	0.14	$1.1 {\pm} 0.2$
SVS 13 A1	$03^h 29^m 03.750$	$+31^{\circ}16^{'}03\rlap.{''}95$	$0.54^{\rm a}$	$3.3{\pm}0.6$ $^{\rm a}$
SVS 13 A2	$03^h 29^m 03^{\rm s} .374$	$+31^{\circ}16^{'}01\rlap.{''}87$	$0.54^{\rm a}$	$3.3{\pm}0.6~^{\rm a}$
SVS 13 B	$03^h 29^m 03^s .056$	$+31^{\circ}15^{\prime}51\rlap{.}''67$	0.65	$2.6 {\pm} 0.4$
SVS 13 C	$03^h 29^m 01\stackrel{\mathrm{s}}{.}951$	$+31^{\circ}15^{'}38\rlap{.}''27$	0.11	
NGC1333 IRAS4 A1	$03^h 29^m 10^s 510$	$+31^{\circ}13^{\prime}31\rlap.{''}01$	$2.88^{\rm a}$	$2.8{\pm}0.1~^{\rm a}$
NGC1333 IRAS4 A2	$03^h 29^m 10^s 413$	$+31^{\circ}13^{\prime}32^{\prime\prime}20$	$2.88^{\rm a}$	$2.8{\pm}0.1~^{\rm a}$
NGC1333 IRAS4 B	$03^h 29^m 11\stackrel{\mathrm{s}}{.}988$	$+31^{\circ}13^{\prime}08\rlap.{''}10$	0.96	$1.8 \pm 0.1$
NGC1333 IRAS4 C	$03^h 29^m 12^{\rm s} 813$	$+31^{\circ}13^{'}06\rlap{.}''97$	0.26	$1.0 \pm 0.1$
DG Tauri	$04^h27^m04.686$	$+26^{\circ}06^{\prime}16\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}14$	0.03	$0.9 \pm 0.1$
DG Tauri B	$04^h27^m02^s\!.562$	$+26^{\circ}05^{\prime}30\rlap{.}''53$	0.04 b	$2.2 {\pm} 0.4$
L1551 IRS5 A	$04^h 31^m 34.143$	$+18^{\circ}08^{\prime}05\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}09$	$0.08^{\rm a}$	$1.8{\pm}0.1~^{\rm a}$
L1551 IRS5 B	$04^h 31^m 34.141$	$+18^{\circ}08^{\prime}04^{\prime\prime}74$	$0.08^{\rm a}$	$1.8{\pm}0.1~^{\rm a}$
HL Tauri	$04^h 31^m 38.413$	$+18^{\circ}13^{'}57\rlap{.}''61$	0.05	$1.3 \pm 0.1$
GG Tauri	$04^h32^m30^s322$	$+17^{\circ}31^{\prime}40\rlap{.}''65$	0.03	$4.0 {\pm} 0.6$
GM Aurigae	$04^h55^m10^{\rm s}983$	$+30^{\circ}21^{\prime}59^{\prime\prime}37$	0.01	$1.1 {\pm} 0.2$
VLA 1623 A	$16^h 26^m 26^s 396$	$-24^{\circ}24^{\prime}30\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}45$	0.04	$2.4{\pm}0.3~^{\rm a}$
VLA 1623 B	$16^h 26^m 26^s 318$	$-24^{\circ}24^{\prime}30\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}12$	0.04	$2.4{\pm}0.3~^{\rm a}$
IRAS 16293-2422 A	$16^h 32^m 22^s 869$	$-24^{\circ}28^{\prime}36\rlap{.}^{\prime\prime}11$	0.49	$7.4 {\pm} 0.4$
IRAS 16293-2422 B	$16^h 32^m 22^s 624$	$-24^{\circ}28^{\prime}32^{\prime\prime}20$	0.61	$3.5 {\pm} 0.1$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Close binary systems whose values include both systems.

Note: The mass scales roughly linear with the assumed temperature. For example, in the case of the embedded objects,  $M(T) = M(35K) \times (35K/T)$ .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>DG Tauri B observed at FWHM point of primary beam; thus masses given have a larger uncertainty than the rest of the survey.

Table 4. Characteristic Scales for Multiplicity

Classification	Scale (AU)
Separate Envelope Common Envelope Common Disk	$\geq 6000$ $150 - 3000$ $\leq 100$

Table 5. Multiple System Morphology

Source	Туре	Assoc.	Separation	
			Arcsec	AU
L1448 IRS3 A	common envelope	1	687	2404
L1448 IRS3 B	common envelope	1	6.487	2404
L1448 IRS3 C	separate envelope		17″13	5995
NGC1333 IRAS2 A	separate envelope		3120	10920
$\operatorname{NGC}1333$ IRAS2 B	separate envelope		3120	10920
SVS 13 A1	common envelope	$^{2,3}$	5".25	1838
SVS 13 A2	common envelope	$^{2,3}$	5".25	1838
SVS 13 B	common envelope	3	10″98	3843
SVS 13 C	separate envelope		19″50	6825
NGC1333 IRAS4 A1	common envelope	4	1''.72	602
NGC1333 IRAS4 A2	common envelope	4	172	602
NGC1333 IRAS4 B	separate envelope		$29\rlap.{''}74$	10409
NGC1333 IRAS4 C	separate envelope		10'.'64	3724
DG Tauri	separate envelope		$54\!\!.\!^{\prime\prime}85$	7540
DG Tauri B	separate envelope		$54\rlap.{''}85$	7540
L1551  IRS5 A	common disk	5	0″35	49
L1551  IRS5 B	common disk	5	0″35	49
GG Tauri	common disk	6	0".25	35
VLA 1623 A	common envelope	7	1".11	178
VLA 1623 B	common envelope	7	1".11	178
IRAS 16293-2422 A	common envelope	8	5".14	822
IRAS 16293-2422 B	common envelope	8	5″14	822

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}{\rm Column}$  3 indicates members of a multiple system.

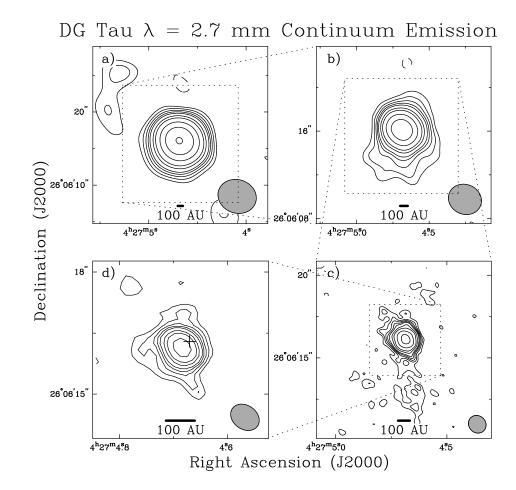


Fig. 1.— DG Tauri maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 2.0 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=2.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.37 × 4″.57 P.A. = 72°. (b)  $\sigma=2.0$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.12 × 2″.72 P.A. = 68°. (c)  $\sigma=1.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.12 × 1″.02 P.A. = 45°. (d)  $\sigma=1.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.76 × 0″.58 P.A. = 56°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda=6$  cm peak from Bieging, Cohen, & Schwartz (1984).

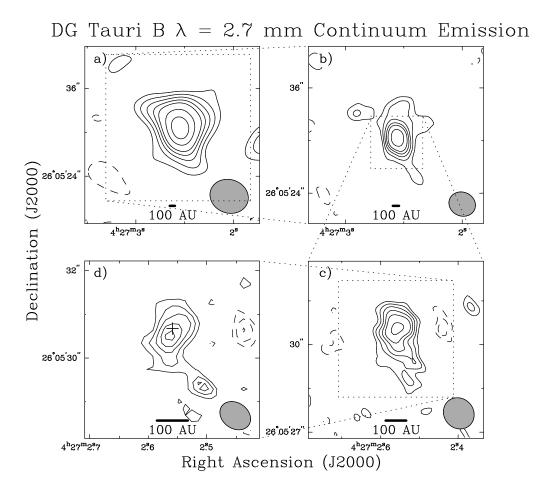


Fig. 2.— DG Tauri B maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 2.0 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=2.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.37 × 4″.57 P.A. = 72°. (b)  $\sigma=2.0$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.12 × 2″.72 P.A. = 68°. (c)  $\sigma=1.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.12 × 1″.02 P.A. = 45°. (d)  $\sigma=1.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.76 × 0″.58 P.A. = 56°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda=3.6$  cm peak from Rodríguez, Anglada, & Raga (1995).

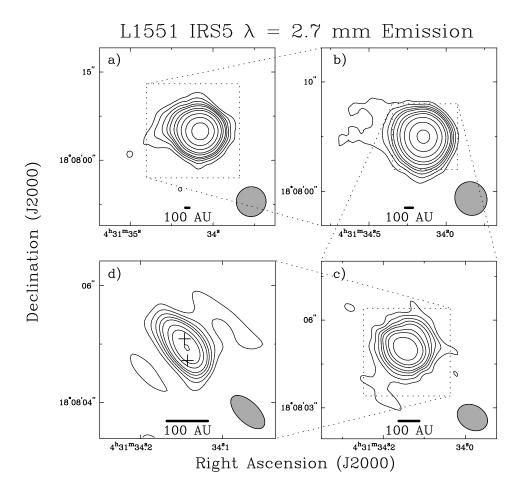


Fig. 3.— L1551 IRS5 maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 3.9 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=2.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.15 × 5″.05 P.A. = -62°. (b)  $\sigma=2.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.13 × 2″.92 P.A. = 31°. (c)  $\sigma=3.3$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.11 × 0″.85 P.A. = 62°. (d)  $\sigma=3.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.74 × 0″.36 P.A. = 46°. The two crosses in panel (d) are the  $\lambda=1.3$  cm peaks from Koerner & Sargent (1999).

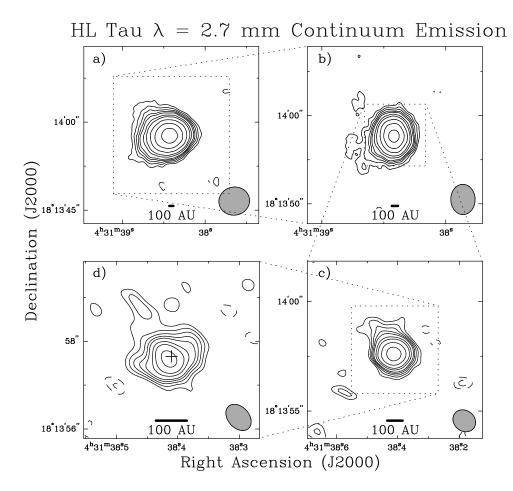


Fig. 4.— HL Tauri maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 2.9 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.31 × 4″.79 P.A. = -81°. (b)  $\sigma=1.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.43 × 2″.79 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma=2.4$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.11 × 0″.94 P.A. = 53°. (d)  $\sigma=2.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.68 × 0″.48 P.A. = 43°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda=3.6$  cm peak from Rodríguez et al. (1994).

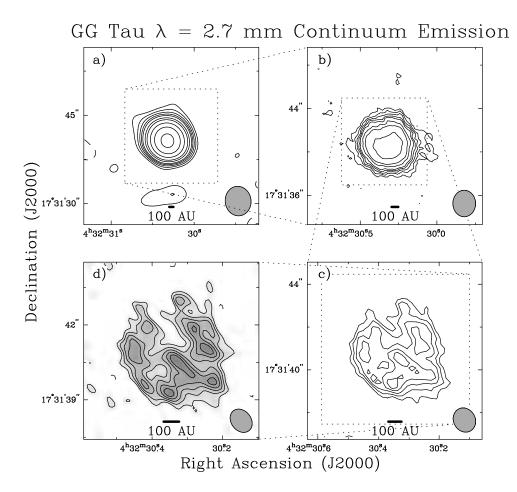


Fig. 5.— GG Tauri maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × the rms of panel (a) of 1.8 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14) × a rms noise of 1.5 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.8$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.02 × 4″.44 P.A. = 7°. (b)  $\sigma=1.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 2″.44 × 2″.12 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma=1.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.17 × 1″.02 P.A. = 31°. (d)  $\sigma=1.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.02 × 0″.80 P.A. = 40°. The greyscale is used to emphasize the hills and valleys of the "clumps" in the circumbinary disk.

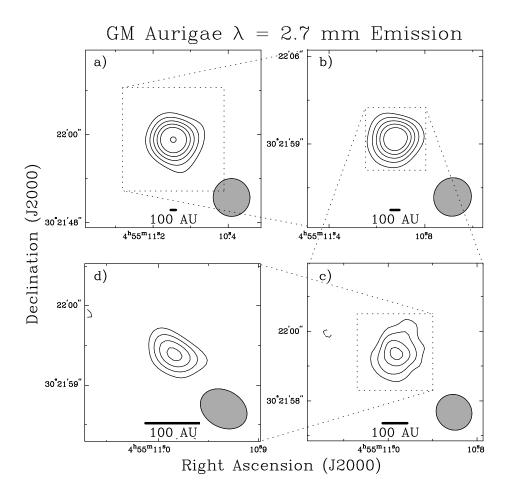


Fig. 6.— GM Aurigae maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 2.5 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.15 × 5″.08 P.A. = 6°. (b)  $\sigma=0.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.12 × 3″.00 P.A. = -30°. (c)  $\sigma=1.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.07 × 1″.00 P.A. = 51°. (d)  $\sigma=2.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.63 × 0″.47 P.A. = 62°.

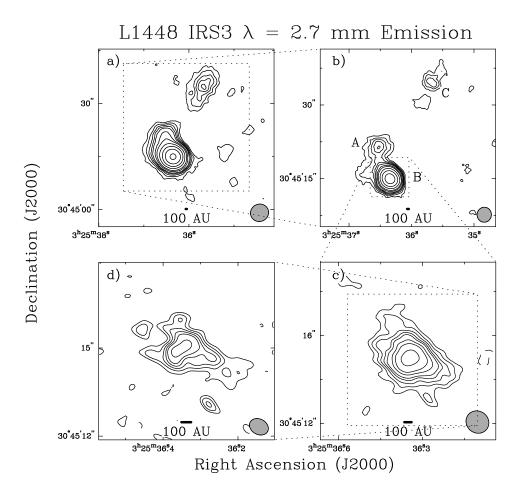


Fig. 7.— L1448 IRS3 maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × a rms noise of 2.3 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.22 × 4″.89 P.A. = -71°. (b)  $\sigma=1.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.06 × 2″.95 P.A. = -61°. (c)  $\sigma=1.6$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.08 × 0″.99 P.A. = 56°. (d)  $\sigma=2.3$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.68 × 0″.52 P.A. = 63°.

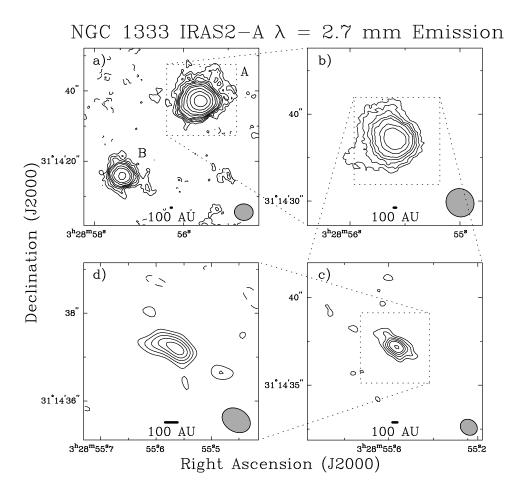


Fig. 8.— NGC 1333 IRAS2 A maps of the  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × the rms of panel (a) of 1.3 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28) × a rms noise of 2.7 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma = 1.3$  mJy/beam; beam is 5".40 × 4".70 P.A. = 86°. (b)  $\sigma = 1.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 3".36 × 3".16 P.A. = 45°. (c)  $\sigma = 1.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 1".02 × 0".87 P.A. = 57°. (d)  $\sigma = 2.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 0".69 × 0".52 P.A. = 60°.

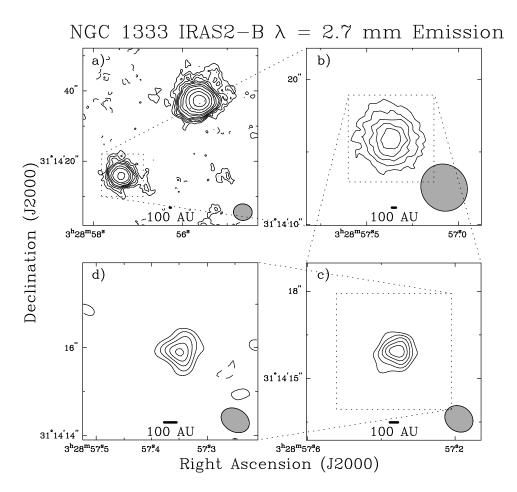


Fig. 9.— NGC 1333 IRAS2 B maps of the  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × the rms of panel (a) of 1.3 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14) × a rms noise of 2.7 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma = 1.3$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.40 × 4″.70 P.A. = 86°. (b)  $\sigma = 1.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.36 × 3″.16 P.A. = 45°. (c)  $\sigma = 1.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.02 × 0″.87 P.A. = 57°. (d)  $\sigma = 2.7$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.69 × 0″.52 P.A. = 60°.

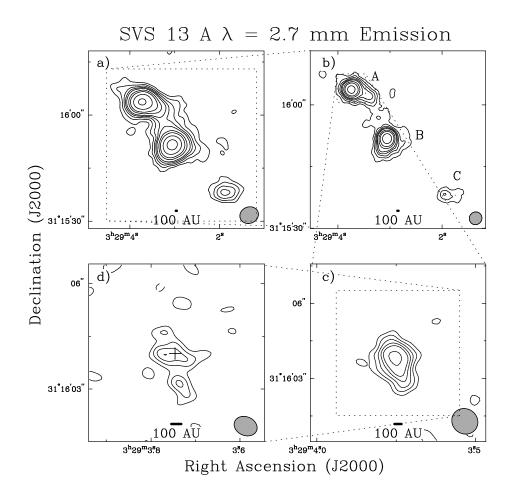


Fig. 10.— SVS13 A maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40) × a rms noise of 2.2 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.40 × 4″.64 P.A. = -70°. (b)  $\sigma=1.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.17 × 3″.05 P.A. = -43°. (c)  $\sigma=1.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.08 × 1″.00 P.A. = 57°. (d)  $\sigma=2.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.68 × 0″.53 P.A. = 68°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda=3.6$  cm peak from Rodríguez, Anglada, & Curiel (1997).

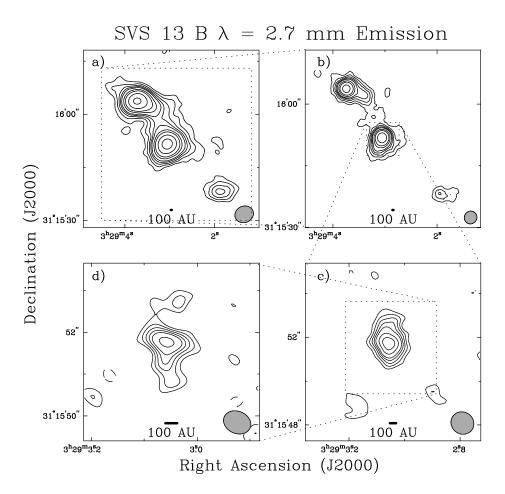


Fig. 11.— SVS13 B maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40) × a rms noise of 2.2 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=1.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.40 × 4″.64 P.A. = -70°. (b)  $\sigma=1.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.17 × 3″.05 P.A. = -43°. (c)  $\sigma=1.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.08 × 1″.00 P.A. = 57°. (d)  $\sigma=2.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.68 × 0″.53 P.A. = 68°.

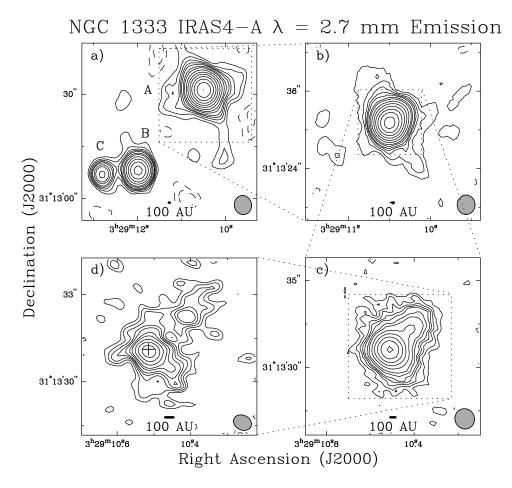


Fig. 12.— NGC 1333 IRAS4 A maps of the  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40) × the rms of panel (a) of 3.1 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × a rms noise of 2.9 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma = 3.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.52 × 5″.02 P.A. = 12°. (b)  $\sigma = 1.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.02 × 2″.81 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma = 2.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.18 × 1″.13 P.A. = 30°. (d)  $\sigma = 2.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.65 × 0″.51 P.A. = 65°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda = 1.3$  cm peak from Mundy et al. (1993).

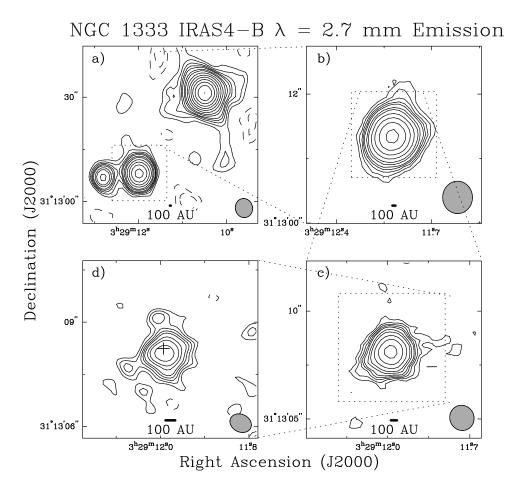


Fig. 13.— NGC 1333 IRAS4 B maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40) × the rms of panel (a) of 3.1 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × a rms noise of 2.9 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=3.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.52 × 5″.02 P.A. = 12°. (b)  $\sigma=1.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.02 × 2″.81 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma=2.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.18 × 1″.13 P.A. = 30°. (d)  $\sigma=2.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.65 × 0″.51 P.A. = 65°. The cross in panel (d) is the  $\lambda=1.3$  cm peak from Mundy et al. (1993).

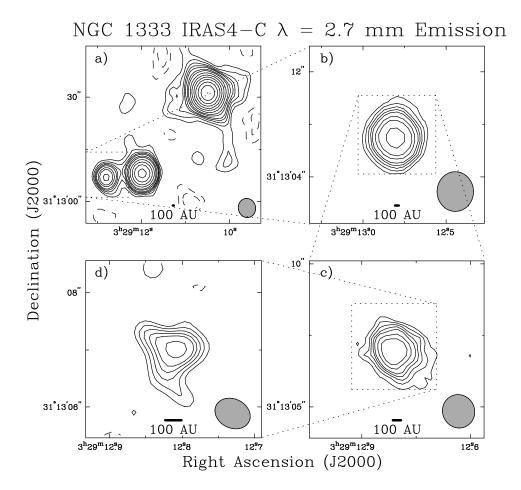


Fig. 14.— NGC 1333 IRAS4 C maps of the  $\lambda = 2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40) × the rms of panel (a) of 3.1 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × a rms noise of 2.9 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma = 3.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 5″.52 × 5″.02 P.A. = 12°. (b)  $\sigma = 1.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 3″.02 × 2″.81 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma = 2.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.18 × 1″.13 P.A. = 30°. (d)  $\sigma = 2.9$  mJy/beam; beam is 0″.65 × 0″.51 P.A. = 65°.

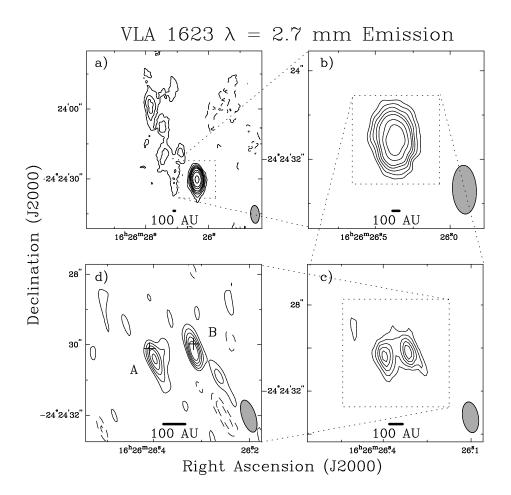


Fig. 15.— VLA 1623 maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. All panels are contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14) × a rms noise of 3.5 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=3.0$  mJy/beam; beam is 7".65 × 3".80 P.A. = 4°. (b)  $\sigma=2.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 4".40 × 2".19 P.A. = 3°. (c)  $\sigma=2.0$  mJy/beam; beam is 1".44 × 0".74 P.A. = 10°. (d)  $\sigma=3.5$  mJy/beam; beam is 0".95 × 0".39 P.A. = 18°. The crosses indicate the  $\lambda=3.6$  cm positions from Bontemps & Andrè (1997).

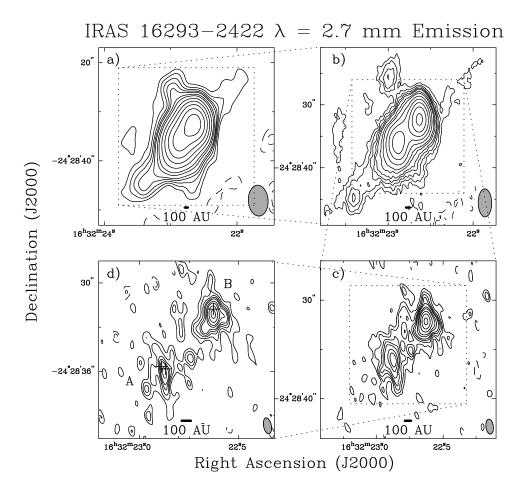


Fig. 16.— IRAS 16293-2422 maps of the  $\lambda=2.7$  mm continuum emission. Panel (a) is contoured in steps of (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × the rms of panel (a) of 5.8 mJy/beam. Panels (b) through (d) are (-4 -3 -2 2 3 4 5 6 8 10 14.14 20 28.28 40 56.56) × a rms noise of 4.8 mJy/beam. (a)  $\sigma=5.8$  mJy/beam; beam is 6″.29 × 4″.06 P.A. = 4°. (b)  $\sigma=4.2$  mJy/beam; beam is 4″.45 × 2″.16 P.A. = 1°. (c)  $\sigma=4.1$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.52 × 0″.76 P.A. = 7°. (d)  $\sigma=4.8$  mJy/beam; beam is 1″.09 × 0″.53 P.A. = 11°. The crosses indicate the  $\lambda=2$  cm positions from Wootten (1989).

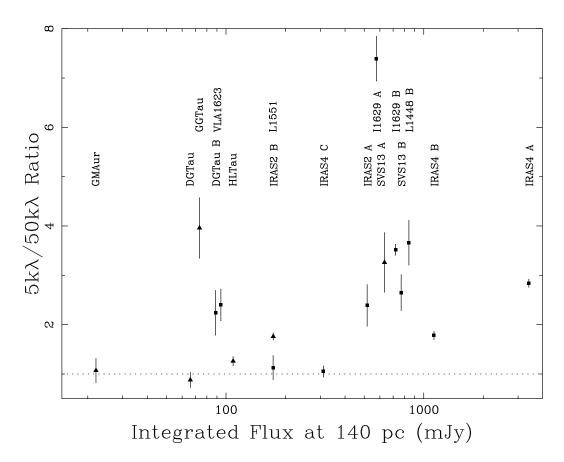


Fig. 17.— Comparison of the ratio of the flux at  $5k\lambda$  and  $50k\lambda$  fringe spacings amplitude and the integrated flux of each object from Table 2, both adjusted to the distance of Taurus. The solid triangle symbols indicate optical/IR sources and the solid square symbols indicate the embedded sources. Each point is labeled with its corresponding source.

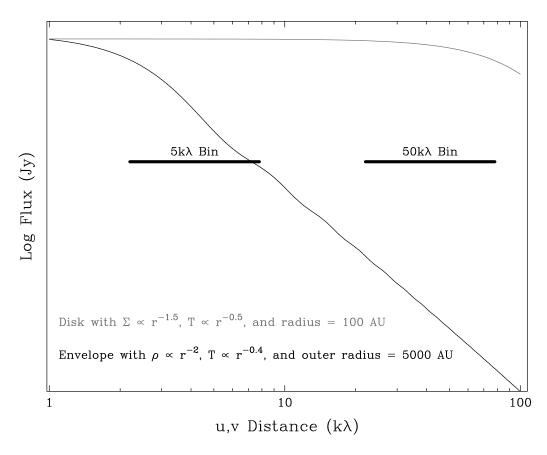


Fig. 18.— Model visibility curves of a 100 AU radius disk and a 5000 AU outer radius envelope at the distance of Taurus. These simple models assume radial power-law for both temperature and density (volume density,  $\rho$ , for the envelope model and surface density,  $\Sigma$ , for the disk model). The horizontal axis is antenna separation in kilo-wavelengths, and the vertical axis is arbitrary flux in Jy. A disk will have a  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio  $\sim 1$ , and an envelope with an outer radius of  $\geq 1000$  AU will have a  $5k\lambda/50k\lambda$  ratio > 1.